CONSCIENCE OF MAN

THE BACHELOR GIRL ILLUSTRATES IT.

in time to save-er-to save-

"What?"

Mere Man, "than to go on being foolish."

from doing the same thing over again-

By HELEN ROWLAND.

"Tve made a discovery," remarked the Mere Man solemnly, as he deposited his hat on the Bachelor Girl's tabourette and Bachelor Girl, helpfully. his feet on the fender. "I've got a conscience."

"How do you know?" demanded the Bachelor Girl, pulling up the tea table and carefully laying a paper napkin over Girl, sententiously. the most conspicuous hole in the cloth. The Mere Man glanced at her reproach-

"How do you know when you've got a new tooth?" he retorted. "It hurts." "Oh," said the Bachelor Girl, sympa-

thetically, "then it's all over." "What's over?" The Mere Man stopped

in the act of filling his pipe and looked up suspiciously. "The fun," explained the Bachelor Girl,

calmly setting the cream jug down on the paper napkin and, turning to fill the kettle, "a man's conscience never begins to hurt until the last inning." "What?"

"Until the game is finished," continued the Bachelor Girl, "while the excitement lasts his conscience sleeps like a babe on a summer afternoon. It only wakes up in through a love affair to the very altar, and then left the girl waiting at the after,' when the consequences come around and frighten it into action. It isn't while the wine flows that his scruples bother him-it's when the headache begins and the bill comes in. It isn't while he's winning the other man's money at poker-it's when he begins to lose his own. It isn't the dinner that worries him-it's the indigestion that follows. The masculine conscience is made of good. durable India rubber, warranted to stretch without hurting, as long as the fun lasts." and the Bachelor Girl set down her teacups with an emphatic little The Mere Man stretched out his feet

and sighed as he lit his pipe. "I ask for bread," he murmured sadly, "and get a stone. I ask for somfort, and receive a cut, I cry for soothing sirup, and get a sword thrust. I want to be virtuous, and am told that I am vile.

Give me a cup of tea!" and he held out his hand imperatively. "Tell me about it," said the Bachelor Girl, with a relenting smile, as she took

lump of sugar in her cup. "It," began the Mere Man, solemnly "Of course," acquiesced the Bachelor Girl, nonchalantly, "Are you tired of

the remaining armchair and dropped a

"I beg your pardon." "Or-have you got yourself in a scrape or a breach of promise suit?"

"Neither," returned the Mere Man, promptly. "I like her immensely—" "Which means that you have ceased to love' her at all," commented the Bachelor

finite care to keep her—keep her—''
''Guessing?'' suggested the Bachelor her. Girl, with an apperciative gurgle.

"To keep her respect," corrected the claimed the Mere Man, leniently. "A chap From the New York Post. elor Girl, "that you telephoned and telebooks and flowers and compliments in-stead of jewelry and promises. Who," she

finished casually, stirring her tea, "is the

woman will stretch and stretch interminthreatened by the first woman, you must the game.' be charmed by the second." And the Bachelor Girl laughed a rippling little laugh across her teacup.

The Mere Man shifted in his chair and mission in life." gulped his tea nervously.

interesting. Then he suddenly grows

the beginning of a flirtation, to let the

her on the folly of promiscuous kissing."
"Which was high v noble and commend

able of him," decli ed the Mere Man, ad-

always takes care to do what he likes

first and then to be sorry-afterward. He

will pursue a pleasure or a woman or an

object to the ends of the earth, and never feel a twinge of remorse or contrition,

until he has attained the one or the

other-and found it wasn't all he had ex-

pected. He may know perfectly well that

it is wrong for him-to flirt with his

stenographer; but the thought never in-

terrupts his pleasure until Fate, in the

person of his wife, pounces down upon him-or he sees a prettier stenographer,

He may go on for years dallying around

some woman and so monopolizing her

may discover the day after his wedding

that he isn't going to be nappy with the

gests itself to him that they would b

happier apart-until he discovers another

woman with whom he would be happier

He will coax and coax a girl to do some

thing that she shouldn't-to kiss him or take a cocktail or smoke a cigarette-and

the next day feel so ashamed of himself

But it isn't until the next day!" And the

Bachelor Girl set down her cup with a

vehemence that made the teapot tremble

"Well," retorted the Mere Man, cheer

fully, "it's better to reform the next

increasing lankiness of her figure.

"But he got the kiss first," remarked

fore I met the other girl that it was wrong bly back and pulling at his pipe, "and to monopolize the first one, especially as that's why he doesn's take it seriously nor bother his conscience about it. I wasn't-couldn't-" "Didn't intend to marry her," finished the Bachelor Girl, cheerfully nodding her Girl, "are you bothering your conscience

curly head. "But that didn't bother you, about it now?" A man never feels any conscientious qualms about playing with a woman un- bled the Mere Man, "and the girl til the game gets stale, or tiresome, or won't-" too serious, or he sees another game more

"Which girl, Mr. Porter?" "The first girl," returned the Mere Man; noble and virtuous and gently tells the

girl that they must part 'for her sake;' "Resign in favor of the girl you want to that he 'isn't worthy of her,' and wouldn't stand in her light' and is 'a begin playing with?"

He never thinks it necessary, at comfortably. "Oh, you've got me all mixed up," he woman know that he is only amusing himself; it is not until the last set has grumbled.

been played and the last inning has been "I think you've got yourself mixed up," run and the game is up that he becomes suddenly frank, and kindly but firmly laughed the Bachelor Girl, cheerfully. "Why," she added, with sudden illuminaopens her eyes to her mistake. It is only when the affair has gone as far as he intion, "don't you tell the girl all about it?" tended it should go that it strikes him that it would be honorable to put an end "What!" The Mere Man jumped. "Tell

to it. I once knew a chap who tried for "The first girl." The Bachelor Girl six months to kise a sweet, modest girl. folded a doiley calmly. "Not on your life!" returned the Merscience rose up and smote him so that he spent the rest of the afternoon lecturing



body else; but it never occurs to him to stop until he suddenly begins to notice Man, decidedly. "I'll tell her that it's for the crows' feet round her eyes and the her own sake-"And because you're not worthy of

"And don't want to stand in her woman he has married; but it never sug- light-'And are very conscientious--

"And a confirmed celibate." "Oh, well," said the Mere Man hastily, 'that will make it easier. "For whom?" The Bachelor Girl glanced

COUNTESS ADOPTS AMERICA.

Earl of Dunmore's Widow Will Make Her Home at Brookline. Countess Dunmore, widow of the late

Christian Scientist in England, is to live in Boston in order to be near the mother church and the headquarters of that faith. She is herself an ardent believer in the religion, having been healed, she says, many years ago. The countess and her two daughters,

day than not at all. It's better to reform who, with other members of a party of "To save yourself?" suggested the rived in this country September 14, have taken apartments in Brookline, says the "To save the situation," corrected the Boston Herald, where it is said they will live for some time. They are at present "Just as though a man ever stopped touring in an automobile about Lenox, being foolish!" remarked the Bachelor where their headquarters is the Hotel Aspinwall. They will return within a short time and take up their residence in "Just as though 'saving' one situation Brookline.

The party consists of the countess and didn't mean getting into another-'situaher daughters, Lady Victoria Murray and Lady Muriel Gore Brown. Miss Coutts Fowlie and Col. Charlesworth. They were at the Hotel Somerset until tion!" Just as though any amount of experience or remorse would prevent a man if he found it amusing. He will go about a week ago, when they started on ing's work, he held at arm's length his straight from a struggle with his con- their present tour.

straight from a struggle with his conscience and plunge into another unconscientious filtration. He is like the toper who forgets his headache the moment it has worn off. It's not conscience, but consequences, that bother him. His conscience is so accommodating that he can argue it around to any point of view. It's so convenient that he can tuck it away in his hip pocket and carry it about for weeks without feeling its weight. It's so patient that he can lay all his sins on its poor little back and it will never protest. I once knew a man who went straight to the first volunteer Battalion of the King's Trinity College, Cambridge, and a well-known London clubman. He has recent-

NEW WORD FOR POLITICIANS.

Campbell - Rannerman's "Forward-

slidings" Fitted to Roosevelt.

constituents, the other day, giving an

from Her Parents.

Indian Finds that Ancient Custom

of His Race Is Not Strong

with Educated Squaw.

awaiting the departure of an east-bound

our ponies. The question now arises

and Charlie has evidently overlooked it,

whether or not the girl who has enjoyed

villing to marry him, simply because the

of handing over four ponies to the girl's parents, who are in need of stock.

They were children together on the reser-

the girl, and set about winning their sanc-

ion to his marriage with their daughter,

The contract was finally made, through

that he can care for her in the best man-

tention to bring the girl back to the res-

ervation, presupposing that she is will-

a sale, such as Charlie concluded with

ng to come, for it is hardly probable that

rain, having in his pocket a scrawled let-



"I've made a discovery," remarked the Mere Man.

And I've managed with the most in- suddenly told him that he didn't love her and ought not to go on deceiving "There was something in that!" ex-

has got to stop somewhere--" "Stop!" cried the Bachelor Girl, sitting course of a good-natured speech to his graphed, instead of putting your tender up and waving her spoon excitedly. "He messages into letters; that you sent her should stop before he begins-unless he

post cards instead of notes, and gave her can play fair! He should stop before the kiss or the proposal, or the wedding day. Sir Henry stock He should stop before the woman falls in love, or—"

his followers had stood by him in the House. They had, he said, been guifty

"Because," returned the Bachelor Girl, on, and keep going on, that he is some-smiling triumphantly, "it's the only one where on the verge of the wedding before where on the verge of the wedding before mes; undertaking too much, and growing ably-until it receives either a tug in the toward women, it's because women are so was not brought on, as President Hardirection of matrimony or a yank from careful to lull that conscience to sleep rison said that Mr. Roosevelt all another woman. If you aren't bored or and keep it there, until they have finished wanted to bring it on, "right away." careful to lull that conscience to sleep rison said that Mr. Roosevelt always

> "Game!" The Bachelor Girl flashed a scornful glance across the tea table. RED HORSE GOES AFTER BRIDE "Love isn't a game to a woman; it's her

"Well, it's a game to a man," retorted "But," he protested, "I knew long be- the Mere Man, bluntly, leaning comforta-

"Then, why," demanded the Bachelor

"I want to get out of the game," grum-

"the girl I've been playing with won'twon't-

The Mere Man tugged at his pipe un-

-which girl?"

"But he got the kiss first!"

"Which girl Mr Porter?" "The girl who doesn't count."

"The girl who came before you." Largest Morning Circulation.

Earl of Dunmore, who was the foremost How to Get Wild Turkey for Thanksgiving Dinner.

Not Very Far from Washington, and it may take an hour or more. iest of Game, and Tax the Hunter.

By EDWIN M. HASBROUCK.

Looking back over many years of hunting experiences, the writer recalls with first gobbler.

Washington, and in sufficient numbers, against the sky and "soak" him! too, to make their pursuit worth while.

and westward to Herndon and beyond are true sport. excellent turkey grounds, and the writer

to less frequented fields by this time. they will come within range. Farther away, good shooting is to be had

account of his stewardshp, used a phrase next thing is to find your turkey.

Sir Henry spoke of the way in which

don't get the buck ague!

woman at intervals for the past year, also needs financial help.

and every time we've talked something has reminded her of teeth, whereupon has reminded her of teeth, whereupon best turkey country, also needs financial help.

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It is expected that Lord Curzon's aphase reminded her of teeth, whereupon has reminded her of teeth, whereupon best turkey country, also needs financial help. with birds fairly abundant, and never see To determine the proximity of a GIVES MR. ROOT FIRST PLACE ock is, therefore, the first task that onfronts the shooter on arriving in the nunting fields, and this is comparatively in easy matter.

How to Find the Quarry.

But She May Object, Though Bought Did you ever notice an old hen or a rooster scratching in the barn yard, making little bare patches in the dirt or grass? Well, that is exactly what a said to Have Done More to United turkey does when feeding, and a searcher through the woods will find these bare spots wherever a flock has been at work. Unlike the barn yard fowl, a turkey scratches only in one direction, and piles Unsuccessful in his suit to win the up the leaves behind him, therefore, the hand of an Indian maiden who is in the direction in which the flock has gone is Carlisle Indian School, Charlie Red Rorse, easily told; and, furthermore, the apwhose name in the Ute language is unpearance of things will tell how recently the birds were at that particular spot. last night, says the Grand Rapids Herald. If the earth is damp and not yet dried, the leaves ditto, you have probably ter from the girl's parents, on the New scared them away yourself, or at most Mexican Ute reservation, telling that the they are not far away; and vice versa. girl had been sold to him for the sum of Having determined that you are within reach of your game, decide how you are going to hunt it. But first a word about of the turkey, another from a chicken's him or his work, but the people of North The dentist jabbed about a long time, would not thrive on the southern slope wing, still another uses a penny clay pipe—and the writer must confess he can see little difference in them. The peculiar "peet-peet-peet" of the hen turkey is "The Secretary has done more to unite" in the denust japped about a long lime, and put an electric light in my mouth, and I began to shudder and he said: "Which tooth is troubling you?" "Most all of them," I said. "They to offset a slight disadvantage in the gen-There is much of Indian romance con-ected with the story of Charlie and his e pronounced in the Ute language, but other more or less until the desired pitch since Blaine, and we doubt if he has stand it.' did not know the English interpretation. is reached. My advice would be to prac- not accomplished more results than Mr. tice a long time before attempting to use Blaine realized from his work. Howvation years ago. The girl was placed in the Carlisle School when she was fifteen it, as a single false note will upset the ever, it is to be remembered that Blaine years of age, while Charlie was appointed whole day's work. the Indian police on the reser-

Baiting is a favorite method of hunt- was in some respects the pioneer, vation. When Charlie concluded that it was about time for him to marry he becated the range of a flock in a general gan looking for a bride among the maid- way, construct a blind, as inconspicuousens of the Utes on the reservation, and ly as possible, somewhere near the center inding none whose beauty compared with of it, and, if possible, near an open place cently," said Henry S. Friel, of St. Louis, that of the one who had gone to the in the woods. Arrange this precisely as at the Tulane, "I met a man who had gone to the in the woods. Arrange this precisely as at the Tulane, "I met a man who had "Why," said he, "it's queer that your distribution at higher or lower altitudes. Indian school years before, he concluded you intend it shall be when you occupy lived for one year on the plains without teeth ache when they're all in perfect A Southern species whose home is in that he must win the affections of the girl it. The birds are supposed to become ac- clothing or shelter. He tried the experi- condition; I can't find a thing to do." at Carlisle. Consequently, two months customed to it, and any alteration, even ago he went to the school, obtained a to the addition or removal of a bunch of nearing with the girl, received no en-leaves, may arouse suspicion and spoil effort to rid himself of the dread disease our agement, and concluded that the best everything. Now, with a bag of corn, of consumption. The experiment was a thing for him to do was to work in the start a trail through the woods, dropping American way and win the sanction of as you go—keep going for a mile. Make sound and well the prospective parents-in-law. In conseveral of these trails, all radiating in equence he hurried to the reservation, different directions, and put plenty of coked up the poor and aged parents of feed in front of the blind.

Early Rising a Requirement. In a day or two repeat your trails and then again. When you notice that the the handing over by Charlie of the best four pohles on the reservation. With the corn is disappearing and the scratchings four pohies on the reservation. With the letter from the parents in his pocket he is now on his way to the Indian school, blind success is assured. Bait them once s now on his way to the Indian school, blind success is assured. Bait them once is now on his way to the indian school, blind success is assured by the success is destroyed by the parents to the girl with the hope of the parents to the girl with the hope next morning. You will probably not of Byron and Shelley and Lamb. have long to wait, for hungry turkeys er, and this is not doubtful, as the police will pay you a call in search of break- Or old Mr. Omar Knayson fellow's lot: on the reservation are usually the most fast. Keep perfectly quiet until they are on the reservation are usually the most prosperous of all the Indians. Anyway, Charlie left last night with high hopes heads and necks. They are big birds the pot-hat of Daniel Defoe.

Another's the rubbers of Poe:

And G. Harding Wiggles is said to have got the pot-hat of Daniel Defoe. Charlie left last night with high hopes of his ultimate success. It is Charlie's inand look easy marks, but a body shot For me I care not for illustrious gowns. is not likely to be fatal, and a wounded turkey, unless badly hurt, will run like a deer. A head shot will win every And if it so happens I take to the pen. ents, will hold good with a girl time-if it hits.

who is about to graduate from the great If you are not an expert with the call,

s. To be successful requires great skill its use, both in making the proper lote and in understanding a turkey's way of calling. The object is to excite the curiosity of the gobbler, and the more you can-convince him that you are a hen that never saw a gobbler and doesn't want to, the better it will be for you. Have your gun re dy cocked on getting an answer, or the sound made may send him scurrying away just when ABOUND NEAR THE CAPITAL you begin to feel sure of him. Don't get discouraged if twenty minutes or a half hour should fail to bring him with who, with other members of a party of Christian Scientists from England ar- Knowing Nimrods May Find Them wary bird, and not to be caught napping. Pointers for the Beginner and Sage account move or attempt to go to him. If you do you will hear a patter on the Advice for the Initiate-Are War- leaves, and that winds up your chance

for that particular bird. When he gets within range blaze away, taking aim behind your cover, that the glint of the gun barrels may not attract glint of the gun barrels may not attract his attention. It seems impossible to make the beginner realize that 2 turkey has eyes and ears all over him, and has eyes and ears all over him, and keenest pleasure the days spent in pur-

If you chance to run into a bunch It takes a high degree of skill and along late in the afternoon, you have cunning to hunt turkeys, and the man the golden opportunity of doing some who spends several days in vain pursuit fine detective work in keeping just in and finally bags one has a right to be touch with them until they reach their proud, and should feel well satisfied with roosting place. Every flock have a Every time a car stopped she made a his hunt, for the game is getting scarcer- certain place in which, if undisturbed, and what is more, is exceedingly shy and it roosts each night. In this region find wild turkles within ten miles of then go up and pick out your bird and drew a line in front of her toes.

Hunting with a dog is very much A few are killed near Washington every like squirrel hunting in the same manner-the dog does all the work. When Several years ago a flock even strayed he rushes into a flock pell mell, they

frequently heard them calling in the sur- to be followed for some time. Ocrounding woods. A few have been found casionally observing the direction in Falls, but they hav probably vanished may be made and position taken where ways cautious in money matters.

One Shot Bags Three.

Porto Rican Opinion Makes Him Bulwark of Administration.

North and South America Than Any Other Man,

Secretary Root, unquestionably the at my doctor's and told him about it, ablest man connected with the present and what frightfully sensitive teeth I tree's demands upon temperature and its administration, although not much of an have, and he gave me some sort of a demands upon soil, according to a govadvertiser, has done an immense amount nerve tonic to brace me up, so I could ernment bulletin. Given the proper temof quiet, but effective work for the na- stand it. I hadn't had anything done to perature, it will grow where the soil is tion during the past two years, says the my teeth for a whole year, and I knew unfriendly; and given the most congenial Porto Rico Review; indeed, he has ever fully half the fillings were out of whack. soil, it will grow where the temperature been a pillar to lean upon when and I told the dentist so when I climbed into is not ideal. The colder and wetter tha where actual trouble existed, in the ad- the chair, and begged him to be as easy soil the better will it grow with a rela-Roosevelt.

This is made in various ways for nomination as the successor next pendicitis, so I'd have to go to a hos- on a Northern slope the forester will one man makes it from the wing bone year, there is no occasion to advertise pital and put off having my teeth fixed. often find it safe to plant trees which

The Secretary has done more to unite North and South America than any man please don't do many to-day. I can't There is a wide variation among trees

Life of the Savage Cures.

"While in a small Arizona town re ment of living the life of a savage in the of consumption. The experiment was a

BORROWED ROBES.

There's Binks, he is wearing the "mantle of Scott"

WOMAN ABOUT TOWN

WHAT SHE SEES AND HEARS.

He is a man who's made his mark,
And all the world doth know it;
But few there he who wot how close His wife doth make him toe it.

. . . . Policeman Finds a Way.

Speaking of toeing a mark makes me suit of wild turkeys, and the thrill of ruin hours of patient work, and a scared supreme delight when, after a hard morn-turkey is the fleetest thing on two feet, her know when the car she was to take her know when the car she was to take her know when the car she was to take "What d've think she asked me?" he came, as she couldn't see to read the lost on the way over. The blue-coated giant promised to let her know, but doubtless she was too old to have faith in a real's world. Said. She asked me how much money I had, and could I support her! I wasn't talking about supporting her. I was just going to marry her. Stung again."

dash for it, and as there are more wary, a wild turkey being about the the thick top of a pine tree offers ber, almost every dash carried her across wildest thing that ever grew.

It seems strange that here in the East, as a rule like to be where they can see an emergency hospital much greater than case of sudden death. She always shudwithin a short distance of the nation's all about them, and often occupy a her chances of getting back to Brooklyn. ders when she sees the yellow envelope. Capital, one can go out with a fair de- branch in some gaunt, bare tree. Don't Each time she dashed forward the officer gree of certainty of running into a bunch, expect them to roost like tame turkeys, dragged her back and saved her life. but it is nevertheless true. The explana- all in a bunch in one tree. They may, Each time, too, he assured her that he'd tion of this is the fact that in certain but as a rule hereabouts, they scatter put her on the right car when it came, directions some very wild stretches of out, one in one tree, another in an-country come nearly up to the city's other. Having followed them thus far, her bodily to a place of safety and then to understand what Charleston, S. C., boundaries, and it is quite possible to wait until it becomes thoroughly dark, he took from his pocket a piece of chalk "Now, toe that mark," he said,

And she toed it till he led her to her

"Iv'e had an account in a New York Several years ago a nock even strayed he rushes into a flock pell mell, they are not to the nearest trees, and bank for the last two years," said a last two years, said the last two years, said a last two years, said the la Mile Run, but they were annihilated or driven away in short order. At present, one can go to Falls Church, and about four miles back you will see as fine a virgin wilderness as will see as fine a virgin wilderness as is the one requiring the greatest skill, checks. Of course, I'm not an expert to her traditions and she worded it as a patience, and knowledge of turkey life, banker, and I never pretended to be. to the bottom lands of Account Creek and it affords the greatest amount of can't take the trouble to add and subcan't take the trouble to add and sub-iract and find out just what my balance 'My dear Margaret,' and she ended it In this mode of hunting you search is, but every time I send for a new Your most affectionate Aunt Lucy Dash ran into some while fishing along Difficult for fresh scratchings and steal gently check book I have my bank book barthrough the woods in the direction anced. I had a lot of money in that bank her that a proper telegram contains only her that a proper telegram contains only anced. I had a lot of money in that bank her that a proper telegram contains only anced. for fresh scratchings and steal gently check book I have my bank book bal- But somebody must have suggested to South of us they are fairly numerous, at Often they can be heard literally tear-Manassas, Occequan, and Aquia Creek, while within a mile of Mount Vernon, shead, while still puseen. Then enwhile within a mile of Mount Vernon, back on the ridge, one can find turkeys almost any time in the fall, and one of the men at the mansion told me he had the men at the mansion told me he had quickly accomplished, or they may have ed down town, and took the first train for every year on the Virginia side at Great which they are working, a wide detour before my bank failed, because I'm al-

"I took a cab from the ferry to the bank, and my heart stood still when I saw a long line of people waiting to get in the northern neck of Virginia, in King George County, and thence back to the a fine shot can often be had, and it is saw a long line of people waiting to get in and draw out their money. I got the best place I could, and stood and stood This office has long been Rappahannock. This region is reached not unusual to get two or more heads close till a man came out and locked the bank purely honorary one, but the ex-Viceroy by our own river steamers, while still together. A friend of the writer's, having doors and told people nobody could get of India does not intend to be simply an any more money out. There wasn't any ornamental Chancellor. His first public forests of the Upper Shenandoah, all of a low whistle, causing the birds to pause thing to do but go and get lunch, and which contain plenty of birds, and afford and all lift their heads, and a shot the large thing to do but go and get lunch, and act in his new capacity, according to a low which contain plenty of birds, and afford and all lift their heads, and a shot the large thing to do but go and get lunch, and act in his new capacity, according to a which contain plenty of birds, and afford ine sport.

A .12-bore gun, with BB shot, is the A .12-bore gun, with BB shot, is the larger plenty of patience plenty tion, a good turkey call, with the knowl- time, and plenty of perseverence are re- I'd have to pay something or other on a of a million pounds is the sum for which edge and skill to use it. Given these, the left.

I haven't told my husband yet. Men are the famous Bodleian library is in

a given flock has usually a certain rang-lag territory, over which it wanders, and upon which it may be found somewhere if careful search be made. I say care— are around about you, keep still as

said teeth to me. "I made up my mind last Wednesday to go and have it over," she said. "I made up my mind on Wednesday, and I lay awake having cold shivers that night and the next, and Friday I started for the dentist's. On the way I stopped ministration of both McKinley and as he could with me. Then I shut my tively high temperature; the drier and eyes tight and held my breath and warmer the soil, the better will it grow As he is not a Presidential candidate wished I'd be taken suddenly with ap- with a relatively low temperature. Thus,

seream all ready to give as soon as he grow over wide areas from North should touch a nerve. "This is a queer thing,' he said.

"I broke out in a cold perspiration at that. I knew he'd go on to say he'd have to saw half my teeth off and nail be drawn for the distribution of any thing ones on to the roots.

"Then the wretch laughed. I'll know home in the Northern latitudes of a he'll tell my husband the first time they level country, and a Northern lowland meet. Anyway, it's the fault of the way species may thrive also on mountains in I was brought up. I was always assured the South. tough one, but successful. To-day he is that if you don't go to the dentist's once in six months you're bound to have tooth-ache. So, of course, my teeth achedor perhaps it was my conscience. But I almost wish now he'd bored a hole somewhere and filled it, just to save my face."

> George's Thoughtless Extravagence. Before we give up the subject of teeth I must tell you of a visit I had one day last week from Malinda Johnson, who questions betrayed Lilly's ignorance of lives out near Vienna or Falls Church, even the name of the play. She's an attractive-looking colored woman, and she brings me things she thinks I ought to have, and departs with wearing apparel she thinks I ought not to have. On her last visit she had a crepe veil wrapped about my last winter's blue hat, and I surmised that there had beer a death in the family. I hoped it might George was the man.

put in last month. George certainly did, an, now that tooth ain't no use to no-

. . . . Ted's Young Hopes Blasted.

bedy at all."

My small friend Ted has just had a severe blow. Recently he fell in love think of something a man told me the with Miss Florence, who is not more other day. He has recently been in New than twenty years his senior, and it York, and while he was there the reck- wasn't a week ago that he confided to me the bridge, he noticed an elderly woman the cynical mood that follows when the

signs without her glasses, which she had said. "She asked me how much money I

"My grandaunt Lucy is one of the few

great ladies of the old school left on earth," said another woman I know, "In and my way of telegraphing instead of writing is explicable to her only on the grounds that I've been brought up in the expects of a well-bred young woman I've telegraphed to Aunt Lucy again and again and received by mail my answer, but not long ago I forced her to 'give a family message,' as she puts it, 'to the o come to Charleston, but that if I ten words, for between the beginning and the ending of it she inserted the one

ASKS FUNDS FOR OXFORD.

Lord Curzon Plans Many Reforms at

Ancient University. Lord Curzon, who sometime ago lamented that there was no work for England's retired pro-consuls, apparently found an outlet foor his abundant activities when, upon the death of Lord Goschen, he was elected Chancellor of

This office has long been regarded as a

Next thing is to find your turkey.

Various methods are used in this form of sport, all of which have their enthusiastic supporters, and all of which are successful at one time or another. Baiting to a bilind, calling, trailing to roost, stalking, and hunting with a turkey dog are the most generally used and most worthy of mention.

Lest you may need it at the most generally used and most worthy of mention.

It is perfectly legitimate to get a hen turkey dog are the most generally used and most your gun go out of your reach; you may need it at the most generally used and most worthy of mention.

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It is perfectly legitimate to get a hen turkey but the gobbler is the king of the turkey, but the gobbler is the king of the turkey. Lastly, never let your gun go out of your reach; you may need it at the most generally used and most worthy of mention.

It is perfectly legitimate to get a hen turkey but the gobbler is the king of the turkey. Lastly, never let your gun go out of your reach; you may need it at the most generally used and most worthing or calling, pick out a gobbler. Leave the hens to breed the to think about my balance when my check book isn't anywhere near used up."

*** *** her woman?"
The Mere Man jumped—and spilled his a.

"Why," he exclaimed petulantly, "do out ask that question?"
When she makes it so casy for him to go "Recause." returned the Bachelor Girl.

"Because." ret

the has said:
"Oh, for mercy's sake, don't say teeth the whole his scheme is highly commended. It is feared, however, that Lord o me. (Though, in point of fact, I very With the Chancellor is associated a comseldom do say teeth to anybody.) "I with the chance of ten, who are rather well-wish ought to go to the dentist's this very ers of Oxford than pioneers of education, minute, and I just can't get up the cour- and advocates of the modernization of age. I've got to go soon, and I don't the university are afraid that this com-see how on earth I'm going to stand it." mittee is not of a caliber to bring about Yesterday, when we met again, she that devoutly wished for consummation.
Still, Lord Curzon's appeal is considered a move in the right direction.

STRANGE WAYS OF TREES.

Them Are Interchangeable.

as to the range of temperature which "He poked around some more, and they endure. Some, such as the Douglas South; others, such as Mexican white pine, eucalyptus, or redwood, are more species. The right temperature conditions

Stars in a Strange Play,

When Miss Marlowe and Mr. Sothern played last in Atlanta they were greeted by a very large house. The dusky housemaid in a certain prominent family occupied a balcony seat in a group of highflyers in darktown society. Next day her mistress was Jurious to know Lilly's opinion of the play and players.

that a paper, brought home as a cherished souvenir, would tell the Returning, programme in hand, she ex-

Lilly assured her mistress, however,

"Yesum! Hit's on here. I knowed hit was. Hit was the 'Cast o' Characters'!'

The Largest Morning Circulatio have been George, her brother, because I've always expected cards to George's Washington Herald are based upon its hanging, and so I asked who had died. sworn circulation-a circulation in Washeorge was the man.
"An'," said Malinda, "the worst thing before attained by any morning newsyou had better accompany some one who .- John Kendrick Bangs, in Harper's for November, about it, George gone an' had a gol' tooth paper at the Capital. Its books are open.